

September 7, 1948.

Dr. James Bonner,
Kerkhoff Labs.,
California Institute of Technology,
Pasadena, California.

Dear Bonner,

A number of *Salmonella* types and mutants of *E. coli* have accumulated which seem to require B₁-thiazole, and I'd like to try out the intermediates which you and Bachman postulated for pea roots: thioformamide and aceto-propyl alcohol. Can you send me a few centigrams of these materials, or suggest where I might apply? Thank you, and best regards,

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg.